

IN THE U.S. PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re application of

Susumu NIWA et al.

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Application No. 10/591,848

Group 3781

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Examiner Andrew Thomas KIRSCH

OPEN/CLOSE CAP AND MANUFACTURING METHOD THEREOF

PETITION FOR EXTENSION OF TIME

Assistant Commissioner for Patents
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May 15, 2009

Sir:

The undersigned hereby petitions for an extension of time to respond to the Official Action of January 16, 2009, for one month to May 16, 2009.

Please charge the extension fee of \$65.00 to our credit card set forth in the attached Credit Card Payment Form.

A responsive paper is filed herewith.

Respectfully submitted,

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